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CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Damages Suit Filed—Fast Train Put On—Heavy Hail Storm—Paper For Pembroke—Minister McKenzie Ill—Conductor Fined.

Over 500 Converts.

About 500 persons were converted at the Presbyterian revival in Central City. The meetings were the most successful ever held in that place.

Held to Answer.

John Taylor, col., charged with having robbed Mr. R. H. Holland of about \$40, was arraigned before the examining court Tuesday morning and held over to the grand jury on a bond of \$100.

Failure in Clarksville.

Arthur Moore, a Clarksville grocer, filed a deed of trust Monday afternoon, naming M. C. Pittman as trustee. The assets are less than \$1,000. Liabilities slightly in excess of the assets.

Ought to Reach the Perseimon.

Hon. J. W. Morgan, of this county, is the tallest member of the Legislature, being 6 feet 4 inches high. He was elected to fill out the unexpired term of the late C. M. Brown, who weighed 325 pounds.

The Date Named.

The Democratic County Committee has named Saturday, July 31, as the date for holding precinct conventions to appoint delegates to the county convention to be held in this city Monday, August 2, to nominate candidates for county offices.

Robbed a Store House.

The store house of Davis & Medlock at Morton's Gap was robbed a few nights ago. Some thief removed a pane of a rear window, crawled into the room, out on a panel and got in to the main store room. The loss was not a very heavy one.

Change of Base.

The plant of the Fairview Review will be moved to Pembroke May 1, when the name of the paper will be changed to "The Review." The first issue will appear Friday, May 7. Messrs. J. E. France and Tilford Baras, of Elkton, will publish the paper, but Esq. W. B. Brewer will retain the proprietorship. The Review is a weekly sheet, ably edited, and it is to be hoped that the new venture may prove a success.

Fast Service Resumed.

The Chicago trains, which were discontinued four weeks ago on account of the damaged condition of the E. & T. H. track just west of Evansville, have been put back on the road, the work of repairing the large crevasse having been completed. There has been no change of schedule. The North bound train passes at 9:30 a. m., and the south bound passes at 9:12 p. m. Neither train does any local business and only three or four stops are made between Nashville and Evansville.

Hail Does Great Damage.

The heavy rain storm which passed over this section yesterday morning was accompanied in many places by hail. The stones varied in size from a buck shot to a hickory nut and it is feared that much damage was done to the fruit crop. The rain fell in torrents for several hours, raising the low lands to again become inundated. In an hour the streams were out of their banks and Little River was higher than it has been for several years.

Wants \$3,000 Damages.

F. C. Arvin, a former attendant at the Asylum, has filed suit for \$3,000 damages against Dr. F. A. Miller, first assistant physician of that institution. In the petition plaintiff claims that Dr. Miller swore to a lie, when he stated to State Inspector Lester, during his investigation here last January, that he had seen the defendant under the influence of liquor. The case will come up at the June term.

Trigg County Nominations.

Cadiz, Ky., April 6.—At the joint Democratic and Populist primary held here Saturday the following officers were nominated: Representative, Dr. J. B. Lackey; Circuit Clerk, A. C. Burnett; County Judge, John D. Shaw; County Attorney, Denny P. Smith; County Clerk, F. K. Grasty; Sheriff, N. B. Pollard; School Superintendent, Alfred Cunningham; Assessor, J. H. White; Jailor, G. A. Shoemaker; Coroner, Albert Allen; Constable, Thomas Finley.

Arthur W. Platt, charged with the murder of Jesse Tyree, was arraigned at Lexington and pleaded not guilty, the trial being set for Thursday.

THE MURRAY CONVENTION.

No Results Likely to be Reached Today.

The Judicial district convention at Murray was organized yesterday afternoon, but no news was received up to the hour of going to press.

The judge's race turns out to be more in doubt than it at first appeared. Judge Cook will be two votes short of a nomination on the first ballot and a combination on Phelps is possible. If Lyon's official report is correct, the candidates will have the following strength:

COOK PHELPS BURNETT			
Calloway	13		
Christian	296	1144	141
Lyon	350		150
Trigg	53		747
Total	1999	1144	1038

In the attorney's race, the vote stands in Christian and Trigg counties, Hanbery 10.83, Howell 9.05, Sims 4.12. Lyon is unreported, though all of the candidates got some strength. Hanbery and Sims probably got a larger proportion. The indications were that the three candidates would go in with about 12, 10 and 6 votes respectively, without counting Calloway, which is unreported. Commonwealth's Attorney, Jas. B. Gannett is at Murray as a delegate from Trigg county and there is some talk about springing his name as a dark horse. It is not likely that anything of the sort will be done, unless there should be a protracted deadlock.

The delegates in attendance from this county are C. H. Bush, W. T. Cooper, W. S. Hale, J. T. Wall, C. M. Mencham, T. C. Hanbery, W. B. Neely, Frank Bell, J. B. Allenworth, J. H. Carlsson and J. O. Cook.

Fiscal Court Proceedings.

The Fiscal court is still in session and will not finish up the business until to-morrow.

Tuesday and Wednesday were taken up in receiving reports and allowing claims against the county.

The railroad bond matter is claiming the attention of the court to-day and the terms and conditions of the new bonds will be fixed.

A committee was appointed yesterday to confer with the city council relative to putting up an iron bridge to take the place of the rock bridge on North Main.

John M. Dulin was reappointed road supervisor for North Christian and J. H. Dillman for South Christian.

Logan County Democrats.

Russellville, Ky., April 5.—The Democrats of Logan county have nominated the following ticket: County Judge, J. W. Clark; Sheriff, Marsh Neely; Jailor, W. T. Price; Assessor, Ed Clark. School Superintendent, Mrs. Anna K. Broderick; County Clerk, M. B. Morton; Circuit Clerk, Louis Evans; Representative in Legislature, W. W. Gill; Surveyor, Peyton Day; Magistrate, S. Flowers; Constable, Sam Proctor.

Aged Farmer Commits Suicide.

Trenton, Ky., April 5.—J. Reed, a farmer, aged eighty, and residing at Pincheon, a few miles east of this place, committed suicide yesterday in his room by shooting himself through the head. The deceased lived with a son and while in bad health for years, which is supposed to have brought about mental aberration, causing the desperate deed. The body was cold when found.

Cumberland Coal Co. Fails.

The Cumberland Coal Company, of Sturgis, owned by capitalists in Nashville, Tenn., with W. W. Smith as President, and Isaac Reese, Secretary, assigned Tuesday to Clarence Wilson as assignee. The assets amount to \$30,000; liabilities about the same. The mines caught fire two weeks ago, and since then have not been operated.

Minister McKenzie Ill.

A dispatch from Lima, Peru, dated April 6, says: "The illness from which United States Minister James A. McKenzie has been suffering for some days has devoted the most serious and while many free-silver men are noted in the smaller cities, there were a few slumps favorable to the Republicans."

Wedded in Nashville.

Trenton, Ky., April 7.—James C. White, of Evansville, Ind., and Miss Mattie B. Sullivan, of this place, were married at 6 o'clock last night at the residence of Joe Edwards, in Nashville. Rev. A. J. Ramsey performed the ceremony.

Milliner Assigns.

Madisonville, Ky., April 7.—Mrs. L. A. Farnham, dealer in millinery goods, assigned here to-day. Attorney Ruby Lafont was chosen as assignee. Liabilities \$1,500; assets \$500.

Miss Sarah Smith, of near Overton, Tenn., while attempting to cross Eagle creek on a water grate was washed off and drowned.

SPRING ELECTIONS.

DEMOCRATS SEEM TO BE GETTING TOGETHER.

Sweeping Victories in Ohio, Michigan and Other States.

Cincinnati, April 5.—The election in Cincinnati to-day was for Mayor and other city officers and members of the Board of Legislation. The Republican ticket was headed by Levi C. Goodale, for Mayor, and the Democratic ticket by Gustav Tafel, the latter being elected by a plurality of 7,820, while the city gave McKinley a plurality of almost 20,000 last November, and Caldwell, Republican, for Mayor, three years ago, a plurality of 6,755.

Although local issues controlled most of the municipal elections to-day, yet the general results throughout Ohio show Democratic gains along the lake shore, the river counties and in the interior counties. This gives the Democrats control of most of the machinery for the election next November of State officers and members of the Legislature. Gov. Bushnell will stand for a second term. Senator Mark A. Hanna is the Republican candidate for Senator, and John R. McLean the free silver candidate for Senator. These three leaders, as well as ex-Senator Bryan, interested parties, and contributed directly and indirectly to the organized efforts of the canvass.

The Democrats were successful in Cincinnati—Hamilton, Zanesville, Springfield (Gov. Bushnell's home), Akron, Canton, (McKinley's home) Columbus, Dayton, Sandusky, Newark, Circleville, Millersburg, Pomeroy, Columbus, Bucyrus, New Bremen, Kent, St. Mary's, Wapakoneta, Tiffin, Napoleon, Bradford Junction, Portersville and Youngstown.

The Republicans elected city officers in Cleveland (by reduced majority) Ironton, Toledo, Sandusky, Ravenna, Alliance and Warren.

At least twenty of the towns that went Democratic went last year for McKinley.

MICHIGAN.

Detroit, April 5.—William C. Maybury, Democrat, was elected Mayor to-day by about 300 majority over Capt. Albert E. Steward, Republican. In view of Mr. Maybury's victory, it is considered certain that Judge Miner, Democratic candidate for Police Justice, was defeated by Judge Albert F. Sellers, Republican who was re-elected Mayor. Steward is equal to that received by Maybury.

Maybury's election is looked upon as a decided defeat, for Gov. Pingree, who practically nominated Capt. Steward as his successor as Mayor after the courts had overruled the Governor's contention that he could hold both the offices of Governor and Mayor.

Midnight estimates based upon returns thus far received from the State, give Long upwards of 20,000 plurality in Supreme Court Justice. The Republican candidates for regents of the University are elected by probably somewhat lesser pluralities, as Judge Long is head of his ticket generally. McKinley's majority in Michigan was about 58,000. Pingree's for Governor was 20,000 greater. To-day's vote was light at most points, and while many free-silver men are noted in the smaller cities, there were a few slumps favorable to the Republicans.

Democrats also elected their tickets in Grand Rapids, Battle Creek; Manistee and St. Joseph.

INDIANA.

Evansville, Ind., April 5.—The Democrats elected Wm. M. Akin, Jr., Mayor, and eleven Councilmen. The city went Republican in November last.

ILLINOIS.

Chicago, Ill., April 7.—Chicago has been deemed. Carter H. Harrison, the Democratic candidate for Mayor, was elected yesterday by an enormous plurality and an actual majority over all. Last fall McKinley had 204,000 votes in Chicago and a plurality of 59,000 out of 349,000 votes cast, of which Bryan received 145,000. Yesterday the vote was as follows: Carter H. Harrison (Dem.) 144,823; J. M. Harlin (Ind.) 67,072; N. C. Sears (Rep.) 57,596; W. Hesing (Business administration), 15,116; John Glenbeck (Socialist), 14,823; J. L. Parnell (Pro.), 852; J. I. Pearce, Jr. (Ind.), 686; F. Howard Collier (Ind.), 88.

Total 287,434.

Harrison's plurality, 76,656, Harrison's majority over all, 2,222. Complete returns from all the wards show the election of twenty-three Democratic aldermen, 10 Republicans and five Independents. As a result the Democrats will have a majority of eight over all in the next council.

The Harrison supporters have taken the town. Impromptu parades have been arranged and brass bands may be heard in every direction. Mr. Harrison is the victor of the silver clubs of Chicago and his troops

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SNAKES.

The Winter Tenants of an Old Well—Some Observations.

Not far from my house is a field bordering the highway, which contains something quite entertaining to me, and which may not be wholly without interest to the readers of the Granite Monthly.

The field, on the side opposite the road, is joined by a large meadow, from which it is separated by a fringe of alders and white birches. This meadow is a favorite haunt of the bittern, and in the morning and evening hours his loud booming cries awake the echoes. Here among the wild meadow grass and sedge the lovely begonia blooms in profusion through the summer months, and the red-winged blackbird ascends from the tops of the alder thickets. On the other edge of the field, near the road, is a row of large sugar maples, throwing in summer a cool, delightful shade for the dusty traveler, and one giant elm, reaching out its proud branches 80 feet or more above the earth, and seeming to draw haughtily aloft from the more humble trees at its side.

Years ago there was an old farmhouse with its accompanying barn in this field; but long ago they were moved away, and the cellar was filled up with rocks and dirt. Beneath the elm is the old well, but this, like the cellar, is filled up with rocks and covered over with dirt. This well is my snake den. Here they stay, striped snakes, green snakes, black snakes and adders; snakes long, short, big and little. Live in the well, and the rocks in the old well for nearly six months in the year.

They do not come out until the latter part of April; for the heat cannot reach them very early in their underground home. After the ground has been thoroughly warmed and the sun is shining brightly, some warm day near the close of April or the first of May, I have seen three black heads sticking out of the ground from one hole. Go near them, and all appear.

More commonly, one will appear at a time. First with his nose just in sight he may lie all day, if not disturbed, not rising above the level of the ground. Next day he is bolder and stays for hours, rearing about six inches from the mouth of the hole, looking like a dried stick from the tree above him. Approach nearer, and the head sways slightly and he backs out of sight. But you cannot keep him long in the den after the warm days of summer have actually begun. He will sneak out when you are not looking, and escape.

The adder does not come out in the manner of the blacksnake. He may lie for a day or two with his nose just visible, in order to test the weather, but when he gets ready to come out he does so without any reconnoitering. I have never seen an adder's head raised above the ground when he is ready to come out. In this den the blacksnakes predominate, there probably being half a dozen of these and one of any other kind. Adders come next on the list, and last, a few striped, green and wood snakes. These are smaller than their neighbors and quicker, darting back into the hole very suddenly when you approach. I have seldom been able to capture any of these, but nearly every spring I get some black ones and a few adders. The longest snake captured from this den was a black one, five feet four inches long. They were probably average about four feet.

I have never seen as many snakes here since there were the first spring the den was discovered. Perhaps it is because I do not watch them as closely as I did then, but I do not think as many winter here now. I was quite young when we found these snake holes one day by accident, and not having much else to do I watched the place very closely, and killed a large number before they were warm and nimble enough to escape, for at first they are numb and stupid. Sometimes, impatient at the slow motions of some old fellow who did not seem inclined to show more than a few inches of his head and neck, I would creep as near as I could, and endeavor by keeping behind the old tree, to make a quick rush, I would be able to seize him by the neck before he could back into the ground. Even then they would resist so firmly as sometimes to force me to pull them by the tail, rather than let go their hold from the rocks below. I have never seen a snake lingering around here in the fall, but they know how to way to find the den, for since the first spring the den has not seemed to diminish, and each spring after the snow has all disappeared and the surface of the ground is warm and dry I expect to see a black head sticking out of the old well under the elm.—Granite Monthly.

Only One of That Kind.

"I wish I had been born a man," said the young woman in the course of the controversy.

"Really," said the young man, "I think Adam is the only person on record who had that experience."—Cincinnati Enquirer.



After Time has to give me a woman who knows how to take care of her health. Time can't make her seem so young. She may be the mother of a family that makes no difference to her. She is bound to be young because her heart is young and there is rich young blood circulating in her veins. She doesn't need cosmetics and face-powders and skin-preservers. Pure blood is the true skin-preserver, and not only so, but when a woman's blood is full of vitality, she can neither look nor feel young. Her whole constitution is poisoned with bad blood, it permeates every part. It paralyzes the nerve-centers, weakens the stomach; irritates the bowels, vices upon the lungs and venereal tubes. It reduces a woman to a state of weakness, nervousness, indigestion, and general debility. Such a woman can't possibly be youthful, no matter what her age may be. She needs the youthfulness of highly vitalized blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will give it to her. It will help any woman to get back her youth and freshness again.

It gives the digestive and blood-making organs and the liver power to produce good, healthy blood. It cleanses the blood, and the cheeks, and sparkle to the eyes; drives away from the system all impurities, and restores the natural, healthy complexion, and creates firm, natural, healthy flesh.

Mr. Robert F. Gardner, of Drifton, Va., writes: "When I was married I weighed 175 pounds. I was taken sick and reduced in health and broke out with a disease which my doctor said was cancer. He told me to get out of the house and go to my good old, and I fell away to 100 pounds. I began using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and thank God and you, I began to improve. I was able to eat and sleep and have only taken two bottles. I cannot say too much about the medicine. I finished my second bottle and I think I am getting back my youth and freshness again. I think I am getting back my youth and freshness again. I think I am getting back my youth and freshness again."

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James Boyle, of Ohio, was nominated to be United States Consul at Liverpool, England.

Working Woman's Home Association. 21 S. Peoria St., Chicago, Ill. Jan. 11, 1896.

Our Working Woman's Home Association used Foley's Honey and Tar six years ago, and are using it today. It has always been a favorite, for while its taste is not at all unpleasant its effects are very beneficial. It has never yet disappointed us. Wishing you all possible success, send your love, Laura S. Fyfe, Bus. Mgr. For sale by C. K. Wyly.

There is quite a little excitement in Adair county over the discovery of onyx stone.

Whether it's a stubborn cold or just a sniffle, you can cure it with Dr. B's Pine Tar Honey. This famous remedy taken in time will stop the progress of consumption and bring cure of health to the palid cheek.

There is a man in Washington county who says he has drunk 202,000 cups of coffee.

My Neighbor told me About Hood's Sarsaparilla and advised me to try it. This is the kind of advertising which gives Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the world. Friend's talk friends that Hood's Sarsaparilla cures that it gives strength, health, vitality and vigor, and whole neighborhoods use it as a family medicine.

Hood's Pills act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

Shepherdville will soon have telephone connection with Boston and Elizabethtown.

"Let parents not live for their children, but with them." The mother should show no false modesty to stand in the way of her daughter's knowledge of herself, of her possibilities, of her perils. For over thirty years Dr. Pierce has used his "Fruit Prescription" as a strengthener, a purifier, a regulator. It works directly upon the delicate, distasteful organs, in a natural, soothing way. It searches out the weak spots and builds them up. A woman who would understand herself should send 21 cents to the World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y., for Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser, a book of 1008 pages.

The Senate at Washington adopted a resolution protesting against the trial of Gen. Ruiz Rivera, the captured Cuban commander, by drum head court martial.

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SPEAKERS OF THE HOUSE.

Many Who Were Famous and Many Who Were Not.

There have been 34 congresses. There have been 32 speakers of the house of representatives. When the term "speaker" originated in England, it was the custom of the sovereign to deliver orally to parliament his communications as he desired to make at the commencement of a session. The house so addressed responded to the communication. The presiding officer headed the procession of members of the house, waited upon the sovereign and read the response, thus speaking for the whole body; therefrom comes the term "speaker," which we adopted from the British parliament. The first congress heard Washington's address and prepared a reply, which the speaker, accompanied by the members of the house, delivered to the president May 8, 1789.

Thomas Jefferson determined that his communications to congress should be made by written message and that no answer would be expected. This led to a general change in this regard in congress and other American legislative bodies. Notwithstanding this, the title "speaker" has adhered, and many of the former speakers may be included, if not, indeed, all of them, in one of two classes: Either they have become celebrated afterward in the field of national politics, or they have become totally obscure. In the former class are to be included Henry Clay, who was the speaker in three congresses, and was moreover, United States senator, secretary of state, and repeatedly a candidate for president; John Bell, of Tennessee, who was secretary of war, United States senator, and a candidate for the presidency in 1860; James K. Polk, who was the eleventh president of the United States, inaugurated in 1845, ten years after he became speaker; Robert M. T. Hunter, of Virginia, who was United States senator and confederate secretary of war; Robert C. Winthrop, of Massachusetts, who was a United States senator from the Bay State; Howell Cobb, of Georgia, who was governor of that state, secretary of the treasury under President Buchanan, and a member of the confederate congress; Galusha A. Grow, a veteran member of congress, who, born in Connecticut in 1823, was elected in November a representative from Pennsylvania; Nathaniel P. Banks, Schuyler Colfax, afterward vice president; James G. Blaine, twice secretary of state, a United States senator from Maine and a republican candidate for president in 1884; John G. Carlisle, afterward United States senator and now secretary of the treasury; Charles F. Crisp, of Georgia, and Thomas B. Reed. These are some—but not all—of the speakers who have obtained celebrity.

The list of speakers who are little remembered is perhaps even longer. In recent years there has been J. Warren Keifer, of Ohio. Before the war there was William Pennington, of New Jersey, who had been governor of the state—he was elected governor 22 years before he became speaker—and there was Andrew Stevenson, of Virginia, who presided over the deliberations of four successive American congresses, and was the only speaker to do so. Few people know the present day and future students of American history remember even the name of Stevenson; fewer still know from what state he came. The speakership of congress is either a stepping stone for an ambitious statesman or the culminating point of official service for a negative man, whose choice is sometimes dictated by the desire or necessity for compromise. With the enlargement of membership in congress the powers of the speaker increase, as the enlargement of the senate has a contrary effect by limiting the influence of the vice president.—N. Y. Sun.

Nails of Various Sorts.

The first nails were undoubtedly the sharp teeth of various animals; it is believed, pointed to fragments of flint followed. The first manufactured metal nails were of bronze. The nail with which Jael killed Sisera was a wooden tent-pin probably pointed with iron. Bronze nails have been found in the Swiss lake dwellings, in several places in France and in the Valley of the Nile. Until the present century iron nails were forged, a blacksmith being able to make only two or three dozen a day. The first nails were made by Jeremiah Wilkinson in Rhode Island in 1775. The first patented nail machine was by Perkins, 1795, and its product of 200,000 nails a day was considered so enormous that some persons deemed the result due to a supernatural agency. Many improvements in nail making machines, greatly increasing the quantity and quality of their output, have been made in the present century.

A snowstorm costs a large city an immense sum of money. After the last storm in New York city the cost of clearing the principal streets reached nearly \$100,000.

UNDONE BY HIS DOUBLE.

A Man Who Pressed a Supposed Compliment Too Far.

When you have been complimented—when you think you have been complimented—once, about the last thing to do about it is to let it go at that and not try to make a serial story of it.

Paul Wiltstach, of the Columbia river staff, was tonight this at one time in his life. Mr. Wiltstach was entertaining a theatrical friend and his wife—two persons whose latest venture had led them into the southwest. One day in the course of the visit Mr. Wiltstach and the musical guest—call him Mr. Davis for short—were conversing about famous western characters. The talk touched upon Frank James.

"I know Frank James very well," said Mr. Davis, "he's quite a fellow, as you perhaps know."

"Yes, I rather imagine he must be considered as one of the stars of southwestern life," said Wiltstach admiringly. "It must be a great thing to be a famous man even if your life is of a peculiar sort. By the way, I don't remember ever having seen a picture of Frank James. What does he look like, anyway?"

"Well, do you know," Mr. Davis replied, "I don't believe I ever saw one man who resembled another so closely as you yourself resemble him. I have noticed it frequently and have intended to speak to you about it."

Mr. Wiltstach was delighted. "To be the double of a man known probably all over the continent was some distinction."

But he could not be content to rest in his delight. He must press the limit of it. He wanted other people to know about it. For what use is it to look like a famed character unless the fact is generally known? There was to be a theater party of friends of the Wiltstachs and Davises that night, and before the party had reached their boxes the proud Mr. Wiltstach had succeeded in conveying the story of his resemblance to all the members, with the exception of Mrs. Davis, wife of the man who had originally told him of it. Watching his chance when he was sure of attention of all his friends, Wiltstach said: "Oh, Mrs. Davis, you know Frank James, the eminent western ex-bandit, rather well, do you not?" Mrs. Davis conceded that she did.

"Tell me what sort of a looking man he is? Whom would you say he resembles?"

"Oh," said Mrs. Davis, carelessly, "I should say like almost any old clod-hopping-looking farmer—one of the kind, you know, who patronizes the gold-bird industry and blows out the gas."

The curtain went up on the next act then, and Mr. Wiltstach sat in silent and depressed pain, and no one in all that box party had a tender word of sympathy for him.—Chicago Record.

LADY BLESSINGTON.

Melancholy Results of Her Efforts in Literature.

"The most gorgeous Lady Blessington," as she was christened by her very old admirer, Dr. Parr, has long since passed into the regions of oblivion for the general world, says the London Spectator. As an author she never succeeded in making any mark, though she worked at the business as hard as any of her successors of the present day. Her novels were many and of fashion, Mrs. Gorence, in her method and style, with strange and wandering scraps of French. She edited books of beauty for fancy clients and at fancy prices and when the News was first started under the editorship of Charles Dickens she was offered an engagement as a purveyor of fashionable intelligence and asked £800 a year for it. She was offered either £400 for a certainty or £250 for six months on approval and confidently chose the latter, with the melancholy result at the end of the term—Dickens having in the meantime retired from his ungenial work and John Foster having accepted his post—she was informed that her services were no longer wanted.

She fought for her hand hard enough in later days, poor lady, after years of "Arabian Nights" luxury with her magnificent husband, but we fear that her position in the literary world was not at any time one of solid security. Finally she lived under a cloud from the scandal which always connected her name with Count d'Orsay and, we suppose, not without reason. At all events, they never appear to have taken any steps to defend themselves against the charges of perfidy like the Aps, which anticipated a similar class of journals that sprung up in our own day, and rather suffered judgment by default.

Stealing Other Men's Time.

The dozens of idle men who call on a busy man every day in order to be jovial, inspire a great love in his heart for reserved persons.—Aitchison Globe.

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RUNNING THE BLOCKADE.

The recent practice of Admiral Bruce's squadron at Charleston in endeavoring to maintain a blockade, and of the Vesuvius in attempting to evade it, was, considering the small scale in which it has hitherto been tried, instructive.

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A fool will always find a bigger fool to admire him.—Boileau.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1897.

Fourteen fourth-class postmasters were removed Tuesday.

The Versailles City Council has adopted a curfew law.

Sixty-seven new fourth-class postmasters were appointed Wednesday. No changes were made in Kentucky.

The colored school of Louisville will be represented in the negro building at the Tennessee Centennial.

Headman Bristow is still keeping up his record of appointing forty postmasters a day. No appointment will be made in Kentucky until a senator is elected.

A committee of the Tennessee Centennial Exposition has been appointed to visit President McKinley and in write him to formally open the exposition May 1.

The Democratic State Executive Committee has been called to meet at Frankfort on Tuesday the 13th inst., to take action in the matter of a state convention.

Litigation against the Southern Building and Loan Association of Knoxville has been resumed, citizens of several States uniting in a petition for a receiver and for an injunction.

The Tennessee Centennial which will open at Nashville May 1 will be the finest show of the kind ever held in the South. It will in many respects compare favorably with the world's Fair.

The Winchester Democrat says: "Diphtheria is raging in Madison county, mumps and measles in Powell, turnpike mobs in Girard and elsewhere, and the Legislature at Frankfort. Let us praise the Lord and take courage because none of these afflictions have come upon Clark county."

The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, which was denied a license to do business in Kansas along with other reputable companies, has sued Insurance Commissioner McNeall and his bondsmen for \$20,000.

The council has ordered the Sunday law enforced at Georgetown, and as a consequence everything is closed tight on Sundays, including restaurants and meat markets. Not even ice wagons are allowed to run, and a cigar could not be bought.

Representative Bailey declined an invitation to dine with the President because he did not have a dress suit. He refused to own a pigeon tail coat upon the idea that his public duties might be interfered with if he should contract the "society habit."

With floods sweeping all before them in the South, snowstorms freezing people to death in the Northwest, forest fires raging in New York and the Republicans piling up taxes at Washington and Frankfort, you can now find in the country almost any calamity you don't want.

The Populists in the Senate, who hold the balance of power, are preparing to fight for two important amendments to the Dingley Bill. One by Senator Allen will provide for an income tax adjusted to the lines of the constitution and the other by Senator Pettigrew will propose to admit free all articles made or controlled by trusts or combinations to prevent competition. The latter amendment was defeated in the House.

Judge Jno. L. Dorsey, of Henderson, and Judge L. C. Flournoy, of Union, won the Democratic nomination for circuit judge and commonwealth's attorney in the Henderson district. The convention yesterday was purely formal, as they each had enough instructed votes to nominate on the first ballot, Judge Dabney having no opposition at all. They will make a strong team and a winning ticket.

BRYAN AND MCKINLEY SHAKE.

Washington, April 6.—Mr. Bryan, the late Democratic candidate for President, called with Representative McMillin, of Tennessee, and Attorney General Smythe, of Nebraska, at the White House this morning to pay his respects to his successful rival. They were immediately ushered into Mr. McKinley's private office. The President, who was talking with a group of gentlemen, advanced, and the President and the candidate shook hands cordially.

Mr. Bryan remarked upon the President's apparent good health, and the latter spoke of the fact that he had seen by the newspapers that Mr. Bryan was here to argue a case before the Supreme Court. He also said he had received a copy of Mr. Bryan's book a few days ago, but as yet had not had time to read it.

"There is no law which compels you to read it," remarked Mr. Bryan, smiling.

After a further exchange of courtesies and pleasantries, Mr. Bryan retired.

On the portico, while awaiting the arrival of the carriage in which he had been driven to the White House, Mr. Bryan was besieged with newspaper men who asked for his views on the Ohio and Michigan elections yesterday.

"They indicate that confidence has been restored," he said, laughing heartily. "They need no explanation from me," he added. "They speak for themselves."

The people in the flooded districts of the South have a dismal prospect before them. When the waters recede there will be a season of dire privation, if not starvation and pestilence.

A Georgia Sensation.

Atlanta, Ga., is hardly ever without a sensation, and the latest is the elopement and marriage of John P. Atkinson, the sixteen-year-old son of Gov. Atkinson, and Miss Ada Byrd, the fifteen-year-old daughter of C. P. Byrd, a wealthy publisher, last week. A few weeks ago the young couple secured a license and intended to elope, but the parents nipped the scheme in the bud. The girl was sent to relatives in the country; young Atkinson went back to his work as a clerk in the executive department, and it was supposed all was over between the child lovers, but the warmth of their love was not considered. Governor Atkinson left Atlanta on business and his son used this opportunity. He drew his money and went to the country where he found his sweetheart at her grandmother's. She joined him by appointment, and before any one was the wiser they were married. After it was all over the parents of the couple made the telegraph wires sizzle in the effort to prevent the marriage and offered a reward of \$100 for the arrest of the children. They were apprehended at Rome, but too late. At first the parents took their children home and announced that they would be kept apart, and that an effort would be made to invalidate the marriage, but a later change resulted in an agreement that the young people be allowed to live together as husband and wife.

Issued Illegally.

In 1887 the voters of Paducah authorized the issue of \$100,000 of bonds to the Chicago, St. Louis and Paducah railroad. Four thousand and five hundred dollars a year interest has since been paid, and the city council has now discovered that the bonds were issued illegally, as bonds for two different railroads were voted at the same election. They have appointed an investigation committee, and will hereafter refuse the payment of interest as well as the principal when it falls due.

Raiders destroyed eleven more Fleming county toll-gates and left word for President Clift, of the Maysville and Mt. Sterling road, that he would be cowed if another attempt to collect toll was made.

Morris Cohen has gone East for F. Cohen to purchase a fine stock of dry goods, Millinery, clothing and shoes. Will keep hereafter the largest stock of general dry goods of any store in South Christian.

The Grand Jury at Shepherdsville returned seventy indictments.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CUNNEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cunney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Family Pills are the best.

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From the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla—positive, perfect, permanent Cures of scrofula in severest forms, like gutta, scurvy, skin, running sores, hives, disease, sores in the eyes. Cures of Salt Rheum, with its intense itching and burning, scald head, tetter, etc. Cures of Boils, Pimples, and all other eruptions due to impure blood. Cures of Dyspepsia and other troubles where a good stomach tonic was needed. Cures of Rheumatism, where patients were unable to work or walk for weeks. Cures of Catarrh by expelling the impurities which cause and sustain the disease. Cures of Nervousness by properly toning and feeding the nerves upon pure blood. Cures of That Tired Feeling by restoring strength. Send for book of cures by

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To C. I. Hood & Co., Proprietors, Lowell, Mass. are the best after-dinner Hood's Pills pills, aid digestion. 25c.

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Spring Recipes

That the impurities which have accumulated in your blood during the winter shall be promptly and thoroughly expelled if good health is expected. When the warmer weather comes these impurities are liable to manifest themselves in various ways and often lead to serious illness. Unless the blood is rich and pure that tired feeling will afflict you, your appetite will fail and you will find yourself "all run down." Hood's Sarsaparilla tones and strengthens the system, drives out all impurities and makes pure, rich, healthy blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one true blood purifier and the best spring medicine. Be sure to get only Hood's.

Civil Service Examinations.

All applicants for positions as clerk and carrier at free delivery Postoffices must pass the Civil Service Examination. Those passing most creditably receive the appointments. Valuable information for those wishing to pass the examination may be obtained, free, by writing at once to THE U. S. BUREAU OF INFORMATION, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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The Comus Club.

The entertainment to be given by "Comus Club," (Kings of Gayety) at the Opera House, for the benefit of the Library Association and the Masonic Lodge, on the 15th and 16th nights will be the clearest effort of all amateur performances ever rendered in Hopkinsville. The young men are certainly artists, each and every one of them, and assisted by Messrs. Geo. R. Mayo and Merritt S. Pillemer, they will render the best show of the season. The music is the newest, the dances strictly original, the stories rovingly funny and new. The cause beyond doubt appeals to every citizen of Hopkinsville. They should be greeted with a full house both nights. Remember the dates 15th and 16th, next Thursday and Friday.

Fitting Resolutions of Respect.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners for the Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane, held on Tuesday, April 6, 1897, the following resolutions were adopted by a unanimous vote:

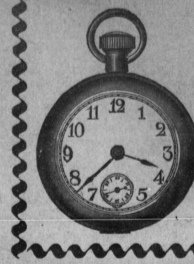
Resolved, That we learn with sorrow that Dr. Ben Letcher has severed his connection with this Institution. His relations with this Board have been of the most agreeable nature, and in his administration of the affairs of the asylum he has always been our pleasure to give him our hearty support.

He has endeared himself to us by his kindly manner and genial disposition—always showing that proper degree of courtesy and consideration. Especially do we regret his departure on account of the unfortunate people who have been under his care. He has gained their affection and confidence to an unusual extent.

Resolved, that his devoted wife was a fit helpmate to him in his work, and her kindly ministrations will be greatly missed.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be furnished to the city papers for publication, and also one to Dr. Letcher.

GIVEN AWAY!



Just to put the ball rolling as spring is opening and our new goods coming in every day we have decided to give a handsome

NICKLE PLATED WATCH,

Strictly a first class time keeper, guaranteed 12 months. with each

Boys Jacket and Pants worth \$4.50 and up.
Boys Suits worth 5.00 and up.
Mens Suits worth 7.50 and up.

COME EARLY IF YOU CAN.

Our store is open for lookers as well as buyers. Take plenty of time to examine our goods. Polite salesmen are at your service. We want your good will and want you to get satisfaction. Clothing never was so cheap; styles and patterns are better than ever before. Our prices are rock bottom. We will clothe you completely, stylishly, substantially and cheaply.

Mammoth Clothing & Shoe Co.

THESE ARE

..Seasonable Goods..

We buy them in carload lots and sell them in prices in keeping with the times.

We Sell

Homestead Fertilizer,
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We Sell

Blount's True Blue Plows,
Vulcan Plows,
Oliver Chill Plows,
Avery Plows,

We Sell

Single Buggies,
Canopy Top Phaetons,
Buggy Top phaetons,
Double Barouches and
Surreys,
Carts and
Springwagons.

We Sell

Tobacco hhd's at \$1.50.

We Sell

A full line of fresh Garden Seeds.

FORBES & BRO.

HERE AND THERE

Ham sacks for sale at this office.

—Cook wanted.—Apply here.

The higher grades of tobacco continue to command good prices.

—Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Very little gardening has been done.

—Several fresh Jersey cows for sale. Inquire at this office.

Quarterly meeting at Shiloh Church next Saturday and Sunday. Rev. J. M. Lawson, P. E., will preside.

Now is the time to sack your hams. Call at this office and get your eggs.

Spring is now well under way and the season's trade is opening up nicely.

—Two good sewing machine bargains for sale. Apply to Geo. H. Taylor, Ninth Street.

Rev. W. P. Lowry, an evangelist from Arkansas, is holding a protracted meeting at the M. E. church, south, at Trenton.

—If you want Barred Plymouth Rocks that are Banded Plymouth Rocks, place your order for eggs with ROMAN MEACHAM, Hopkinsville, Ky.

The January report of the Ohio Valley road shows net earnings to be \$2,955.86. The annual report of 1896 shows the net earnings for that year to be \$47,209.21.

The Allegre correspondent of the Elkton Progress says: "We are no prophet, neither are we a son of the prophet, but it will rain fifteen days in this month. Watch and see."

LOST—Between High street and Wood's mill, pocket book containing about \$16, and one small key. One third of the cash will be given finder. Return to this office.

We have arranged with Mr. W. T. Thornton, an experienced directory man of Chicago, for compiling and publishing a complete city directory of Madisonville, and the work will begin at once.—Hustler.

—W. T. Bonte is turning out some beautiful work. If you need a fine buggy or other vehicle call on him before placing your order. O. T. Thompson is his solicitor for work and will take pleasure in giving you any information on the subject.

—FINE TAILORING. Have your clothes made, cleaned and repaired by "Fowright, the Tailor and Cutter." Recognized by the trade as one of the best up-to-date cutters in the profession. Suits made from \$20 to \$60. Pants from \$5.00 to \$15. Bridge street, opposite New Era office.

Dr. C. H. Tandy will in a few days be located for the practice of dentistry in the Garnett & Williams building, over Richards & Co's store. His rooms will be on the second floor, opening on eighth street and are now being arranged and fitted up especially for use. He expects to see them and ready for business early next week.

—AGENTS—\$25 to \$50 per week easy. You work right around home. A bran new thing. Write us Quick. You will be surprised at how easy it can be done. Send us your address anyway. It will be to your interest to investigate. Write to-day. Address, "Fowright," 3941 Market St., Philadelphia, Pa.

The gross earnings of the L. & N. for the fourth week of March were \$548,845, which shows an increase of \$44,655 as compared with the same period of 1896. For the month of March \$1,981,735, an increase of \$100,865 as compared with March 1896. From July 1, 1896, to March 31 shows a decrease in the earnings of \$161,120 as compared with the same period of 1896'96.



Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many pleasurable life, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. That is the only knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly, by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the only remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore so important, in order to get its benefit, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be recommended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, Figs stands highest and is most satisfactory, and gives most general satisfaction.

TOBACCO NEWS

HOPKINSVILLE MARKET.

(Reported by J. H. Eggleston, of Cummings & Rogers, a dealer in and handler of tobacco.)

April 7, 1897.—Receipts and offerings again very large this week, with an easing off in prices on the grades above common leaf, were the leading features of the week.

The offerings as a whole were poor. However, there were some fair and appropriate Bremen styles, which sold at satisfactory prices to sellers. Common lugs and common leaf were firm. Stuffed lugs and leaf were in good demand, and competition is strong, as well as on all other grades that will fill the requirements of the foreign and home trade.

Condition is good considering there has been so much soft weather, which is causing the farmers to be very much behind with their work, as there has not been much corn planted or other farm work done up to this time. There is complaint of the long continued wet spell causing serious damage to wheat, and the farmers are very much discouraged. There is also in some sections insufficient plant land burned and prepared, and the outlook is not so flattering for setting a crop of tobacco as formerly. Quotations will apply to inside figures.

WEEKLY REPORT.

Receipts for week..... 885 bbls
" year..... 3850 bbls
Sales " week..... 439 "
" year..... 3001 "
Offerings " week..... 713 "
Rejections for week..... 277 "

QUOTATIONS ON 1896 CROP.

Low lugs..... \$ 1.00 @ 1.50
Common lugs..... 1.50 @ 2.00
Medium lugs..... 2.00 @ 3.00
Good lugs..... 3.50 @ 4.50
Low leaf..... 3.50 @ 4.50
Common leaf..... 4.50 @ 6.00
Medium leaf..... 6.50 @ 8.00
Good leaf..... 9.00 @ 11.00
Fine leaf..... 11.00 @ 13.00
Selections..... 13.00 @ 16.00

Sale of 45 bbls. tobacco April 7, 1897, by Wheeler, Mills & Co., 25 bbls. medium leaf—\$9.90, 9.00, 8.80, 8.00, 7.90, 7.75, 7.25, 7.10, 10.00, 6.90, 6.80, 6.80, 6.50, 6.50, 6.00, 6.00, 5.95, 5.75, 5.50, 5.25, 5.25.

10 bbls. common leaf—\$5.00 to 5.25.

10 bbls. lugs—\$2.50 to 1.25.

Market continues active and strong.

Woolridge & Chappell sold 75 bbls. as follows:

21 bbls. good leaf—\$12.00, 11.50.

At the Great Bargain store for \$15.95.

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PERSONAL ADVERT.

Mrs. S. R. Crumbaugh is visiting friends in Elkton.

Mr. John Stites, of Louisville, has been spending the week with relatives in this city.

Mrs. E. A. Hathaway, of Owensboro, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jas. M. Green, this week.

Mr. W. B. Kennedy and family have gone to Mayfield to live. Mr. Kennedy will engage in the tobacco business.

Miss Lilly R. Brown returned from Ashley, Ill., yesterday, where she stopped over when enroute home from California, to visit friends. She was accompanied by Miss Maggie Foulks, who will spend several weeks with her.

Mrs. Geo. H. Johnson and her little daughter, Myrtle, who have been visiting Mr. Johnson and the family of her brother, Mr. G. T. Stith, left for her home in Hopkinsville.—Henderson Gleaser.

WHEN TRAVELING

Whether on pleasure trip, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectively on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only.

MATRIMONIAL.

BOND-WARRER.—Mr. Jackson Bond and Miss Della Warren were married in the city Wednesday.

BAKER-WEST.—A. T. Baker and Miss Effie May West were united in marriage at the home of the bride in this city Sunday evening, Rev. C. H. Nash officiating.

LETCHER-VAUGHAN.—Mr. John K. Letcher, son of Dr. Ben Letcher, ex-Superintendent of the asylum, and Miss Mattie R. Vaughan, housekeeper at the asylum, were united in marriage yesterday at 1:30 o'clock p. m. at the residence of Rev. J. D. Irwin, on East Seventh street.

The happy couple left at 2:35 p. m. over the Ohio Valley, for Henderson, where they will reside in future.

Mrs. Letcher's home is in Alleghany, Pa., but she came here from Shelbyville, Ky., about a year ago. She is a very popular lady and will be much missed from the institution.

The groom is also quite popular, he, having during his stay here, made many friends who wish the couple much success in their journey through life.

A High Grade sewing Machine

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Lowest Price Ever Known...

Handsome solid oak wood work and nickel plated trimmings. 2 drawers on each side with long sliding center drawers lined with velvet. All attachments and accessories and highest grade in every respect.

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Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against alum and all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

DEATHS.

ANDERSON.—The eighteen-month-old daughter of Chas. Anderson died in the city of brain trouble Wednesday. The remains will be taken to the Church Hill neighborhood for interment to-day.

The Springfield-Clarksville tobacco wagon train drivers do not tax the strength of their teams by making them pull straight through the mud holes, but they carry in their wagons blocks and tackle which are attached to the wagons, carried to a tree far ahead, the team then hitched to a rope and the wagons pulled through the mud holes in this way. It is said to be quicker and less tiring for the team than the old way of pulling through.—Clarksville Times.

Have You

Clothes to clean or dye? If so, the Hopkinsville Steam Laundry and Dye Works can do the work properly.

Fair Warning—Read This.

We have found that we must settle up our old business. No after April 10 you that owe us will have to settle with our attorney. This means you, if you owe us. You can govern your selves accordingly.

PLY & RENSHAW.

Administrator's Sale.

The E. H. Sively place on Canton pike, 2 1/2 miles from Hopkinsville, about 22 1/2 acres of rich land, about 35 acres in timber. Two buildings on place, barn, stables and etc., will be sold first in two parts then as a whole on Monday, June 7th, at Court House door at 11 o'clock. Terms of sale 1 cash, balance in 12 and 18 months. Notes to bear interest from date.

H. H. & E. E. SIVLEY.

Admrs. E. H. SIVLEY.

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On South Virginia Street; four rooms in good repair, beautifully situated, including good stable and garden. Apply to

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SAME OLD STAND.

Up Stairs in Henry Block, Op. Opera House.

I Can Sell

you and will do it if you will come and see m large stock of

FURNITURE AND KINDRED BRANCHES.

My expenses are light, as I am up stairs, and I will make it

easy you to come and see me.

I am prepared to do Undertaking in all its branches. I am also

a practical EMBROIDER. Refer you to those that have

seen my work.

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Prices! That's All!

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Wall paper 3 1/2c to 15c per roll
Calico 3 1-2c per yard
Percales, yard wide, 6c per yard
New laces, 1c per yard up
New embroideries, 2c per yard up
See our 45c shirts in show window
Ladies straw sailors 8c
Laundry soap, 2 cakes 5c
Lead pencils 2c per dozen
Best machine thread 3c per spool
One gross agate buttons 3c
25c needle books for 3c
One dozen boxes matches 8c
Masonville, fruit or lonsdale, yard wide
bleached domestic 6 1-4c

The Racket.

Hope domestic 5 3-4c
Columbus, good yard wide bleached domestic 4 1-4c per yard
Mens laundered shirts, assorted colors, new good, 25c each, better ones 35c
Mens moleskin pants 45c
Mens linen collars, 4 ply, for 5c
Ladies linen sailor hats 37c
Zinc covered trunks, barrel top, good looking for \$1.25. Better looking for \$1.50
Canvas telescope, all right, 35c. Larger ones for 47, 58 and 80c
Saxony dress gingham 4c per yard
Tin sprinklers 8c up
There is only one store

The Big Store.

Water coolers 93c up
China matting 9c per yard
Bicycles sold for cash or on credit. Our bicycle store is 1897, but we don't do a thing to prices on wheels.
Horse brushes 9c up
Paint brushes 2c up
Full line of granite ware at the usual Racket prices. We buy tinware and granite ware by the car load, direct from the factory, and our retail prices are less than the average merchant pays.
Rubber balls 1c each
Base balls 3c each
Base ball bats 4c each
Fish hook, line and bobber and sinker, all complete for 1c
Pie pans 2c each

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Pint cups 2c each
Cups and saucers 20c a set
We have about the hottest queensware department in town.
100 piece decorated dinner set, real good quality, \$6.55
Big line of gold band ware just in from the factory. They are very warm.
Good tubular lanterns 39c. Moore light.
Good lamp complete 16c
New lace curtains, special baroains. 35c a pair and up.
Remnants of Brussels carpets, 1 to 20 yards in length, 48c per yard
White wash brushes 7c up.

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